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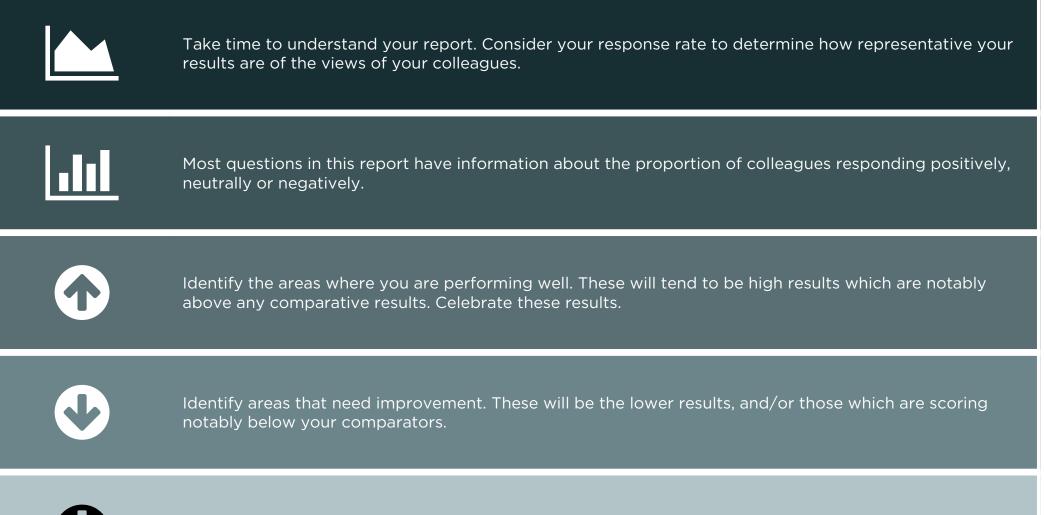
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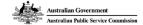
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RESPONSES:
87 of 105
RESPONSE RATE:
83%

EXPLORING YOUR RESULTS



Generally a difference of -/+ 5 percentage points is worthy of attention, but the size of the group is important. Changes in small groups can be unreliable.



EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT: SAY, STAY, STRIVE

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HOW ENGAGED IS YOUR TEAM?

EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT IS MORE THAN SIMPLY JOB SATISFACTION OR COMMITMENT TO AN ORGANISATION. IT IS THE EXTENT TO WHICH EMPLOYEES ARE MOTIVATED, INSPIRED AND ENABLED TO IMPROVE AN ORGANISATION'S OUTCOMES.

2	YOUR EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT NUDEX SCOPE	RESPONSE S	CALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMAL SIZED AGENCIES
	INDEX SCORE				+4	+4	+1	+4
	Overall, I am satisfied with my job	76	17	76 %	+4	+3	0	+4
≻	l am proud to work in my agency	82	98	82%	+5 🗘	+7 🔂	0	+6 🖸
SAY	I would recommend my agency as a good place to work	74	16 9	74%	+80	+6 🔂	+2	+11 🖸
	I believe strongly in the purpose and objectives of my agency	92	8	92%	-3	+80	+3	+50
STAY	I feel a strong personal attachment to my agency	69	23 8	69%	+1	+8•	+4	+80
0	I feel committed to my agency's goals	88	12	88%	+4	+50	+3	+5 🖸
	I suggest ideas to improve our way of doing things	84	11	84%	-6 🕑	-3	-6 \mathbf	-4
	I am happy to go the 'extra mile' at work when required	85	8	85%	+2	-5 🕑	-7 O	-4
STRIVE	I work beyond what is required in my job to help my agency achieve its objectives	81	15	81 %	-5 🕑	+1	0	+1
	My agency really inspires me to do my best work every day	63	23 14	63%	+11 🔂	+50	+1	+80

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LEADERSHIP - IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR

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THE IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR SCORE ASSESSES HOW EMPLOYEES VIEW THE LEADERSHIP BEHAVIOURS OF THEIR IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR IN LINE WITH THE APS LEADERSHIP CAPABILITY FRAMEWORK.

	YOUR IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR INDEX	RESPONSE SC	ALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
	SCORE				+2	-4	-5 🔮	-3
	My supervisor engages with staff on how to respond to future challenges	76	11 13	76 %	+80	-3	-3	0
sor	My supervisor can deliver difficult advice whilst maintaining relationships	76	11 13	76%	+4	-3	-3	0
Supervisor	My supervisor invites a range of views, including those different to their own	83	11	83%	+8	+1	0	+4
Immediate	My supervisor encourages my team to regularly review and improve our work	76	15 9	76%	+1	-5 🕑	-4	-1
Ē	My supervisor is invested in my development	74	15 11	74%	+6 🔂	-2	-2	0
	My supervisor ensures that my workgroup delivers on what we are responsible for	79	13 8	79%	-1	-8 🛛	-8 😍	-6 🕑
	Other similar questions							
	My supervisor provides me with helpful feedback to improve my performance	68	16 16	68%	-8 🔮	-9 🔮	-8 \mathbf	-6 🔮
	My immediate supervisor encourages me	70	21 9	70 %	+7 🔂	-6 \mathbf	-7 🔮	-4
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LEADERSHIP - SES MANAGER

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THE SES MANAGER SCORE ASSESSES HOW EMPLOYEES VIEW THE LEADERSHIP BEHAVIOURS OF THEIR IMMEDIATE SES MANAGER IN LINE WITH THE APS LEADERSHIP CAPABILITY FRAMEWORK.

•	YOUR SES MANAGER LEADERSHIP INDEX SCORE	RESPONSE	SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
					+4	-2	-4	0
	My SES manager clearly articulates the direction and priorities for our area	70	14 16	70%	+10 🕥	+2	0	+6 🚱
	My SES manager presents convincing arguments and persuades others towards an outcome	68	16 15	68%	+7 🕥	+70	+3	+7 🗿
Manager	My SES manager promotes cooperation within and between agencies	72	20 8	72 %	+6 👁	+6 🖸	+1	+80
SES M	My SES manager encourages innovation and creativity	58	27 15	58%	+2	-7 🔮	-10 🔮	-4
	My SES manager creates an environment that enables us to deliver our best	65	22 13	65%	+10 🖸	+2	-2	+6 🖸
	My SES manager ensures that work effort contributes to the strategic direction of the agency and the APS	74	14 12	74 %	+9 🔂	+1	-3	+3
	Other similar questions							
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In my agency, the SES work as a team	61	21 18	61 %	+6 🚱	+8	+8	+13 🔂
In my agency, the SES clearly articulate the direction and priorities for our agency	66	19 15	66%	+8 🗘	+3	+4	+12 🖸
In my agency, communication between SES and other employees is effective	60	21 20	60%	+7 🔂	+7 🖸	+7 🔂	+14 🖸
My SES manager routinely promotes the use of data and evidence to deliver outcomes	66	27 7	66%	-	0	-4	+4

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COMMUNICATION AND CHANGE

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		SCORE			+4	-1	-2	+2
COMMUNICATION	tion	My supervisor communicates effectively	85 8	85%	+9 🕥	+5 🖸	+4	+8 🗘
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T THE INDIVIDUAL, ROUP AND GENCY LEVEL.	Con	Internal communication within my agency is effective	55 23 22	55%	-4	-2	-3	+7 🖸
		Other similar questions						
HANGE		When changes occur, the impacts are	69 15 16	69%	+4	+2	-1	+3
FFECTIVE OMMUNICATION IS	ge	communicated well within my workgroup				_		
N IMPORTANT ART OF ANY	Change	Staff are consulted about change at work	51 28 21	51 %	+15 🖸	+2	+2	+7 🖸
HANGE PROCESS. OTE THESE UESTIONS DO NOT ONTRIBUTE TO HE ABOVE INDEX CORE.		Change is managed well in my agency	44 22 34	44 %	+10 🖸	+1	+2	+96
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WORKPLACE CONDITIONS

	RESPONSE SCA	-E	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
My job gives me opportunities to utilise my skills	83	10	83%	+6 🔂	+4	+1	+3
I have a choice in deciding how I do my work	67	24 9	67 %	0	+3	-8 \mathbf	-4
Where appropriate, I am able to take part in decisions that affect my job	76	11 13	76 %	+10 🔂	+7 🔂	+2	+7 🔂
I am clear what my duties and responsibilities are	79	19	79 %	+1	0	-1	+1
I am satisfied with the recognition I receive for doing a good job	66 1	5 20	66%	+9	-1	-5 🕑	0
I am fairly remunerated (e.g. salary, superannuation) for the work that I do	46 20	34	46 %	-6 \mathbf	-5 🔮	-8 🕑	-6 🔮
I am satisfied with my non-monetary employment conditions (e.g. leave, flexible work arrangements, other benefits)	84	10	84%	+6 🔂	+10 🔂	+4	+5 🔂
I am satisfied with the stability and security of my job	90		90%	+11 🖸	+8	+10 🔂	+15 🔂
I am confident that if I requested a flexible work arrangement, my request would be given reasonable consideration	91		91%	+6	+12 🖸	+6 🔂	+10 🔂





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	RESP	ONSE SCAL	.E	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
I feel a strong personal attachment to the APS	35	45	20	35%	-7 🕑	-26 🔮	-22 🔮	-18 🔮
I understand how my role contributes to achieving an outcome for the Australian public		92		92%	0	0	-1	+1
I believe strongly in the purpose and objectives of the APS	7	2	25	72 %	-4	-13 🕑	-12 🕑	-9 🕑

RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
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What best describes your current workload?

Well above capacity – too much work	21%	+2	-3	-1	-6 😍
Slightly above capacity – lots of work to do	44%	-5 🕑	+4	+4	+5 🕥
At capacity – about the right amount of work to do	31%	+70	+2	+2	+5 🕥
Slightly below capacity – available for more work	3%	-3	-2	-3	-3
Well below capacity - not enough work	0%	-1	-1	-1	-2





INCLUSION AND FLEXIBLE WORKING

	RESPONSE SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
My agency supports and actively promotes an inclusive workplace culture	76 16 7	76 %	+90	-3	-4	+1
My supervisor actively ensures that everyone can be included in workplace activities	82 10 8	82%	+11 🔂	-2	-2	0
I receive the respect I deserve from my colleagues at work	71 22	71 %	-1	-10 🕑	-11 🕑	-8

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Do you currently access any of the following flexible working arrangements? [Multiple Response]

Part time	6%	-1	-8 🕑	-9 🕑	-9 🕑
Flexible hours of work	37%	+80	+90	+2	+6 🛇
Compressed work week	2%	0	-1	-1	-3
Job sharing	1%	+1	+1	+1	+1
Working away from the office/working from home	85%	+90	+28 🛇	+15 🖸	+19 🕥
None of the above	7%	-6 🔮	-19 🔮	-10 🔮	-11 🕑
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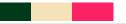


ENABLING INNOVATION

0	Ŷ	YOUR ENABLING INNOVATION INDEX SCORE	RESPO	NSE SCALE	% POSITIVI	VARIANCE FROM 2022 +1	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL -6 ♥	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMALL SIZED AGENCIES -5 €
ENABLING INNOVATION		I believe that one of my responsibilities is to continually look for new ways to improve the way we work	65	26	⁹ 65%	-10 🕑	-15 🕑	-18 🔮	-15 🔮
THE INNOVATION SCORE ASSESSES BOTH WHETHER EMPLOYEES FEEL WILLING AND ABLE TO BE INNOVATIVE, AND WHETHER THEIR AGENCY HAS A CULTURE WHICH ENABLES THEM TO BE SO.	innovation	My immediate supervisor encourages me to come up with new or better ways of doing things	64	22	¹⁴ 64%	+9 🕥	-8 🕑	-11 🕑	-8 🕑
	ວ	People are recognised for coming up with new and innovative ways of working	43	41	16 43 %	-2	-15 🕑	-17 🕑	-9 🕑
	Enablin	My agency inspires me to come up with new or better ways of doing things	41	38 2	41 %	-3	-9 🕑	-13 🕑	-8 🕑
		My agency recognises and supports the notion that failure is a part of innovation	31	42 27	31%	+5 🛇	-8 🕑	-8 🕑	-3

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WELLBEING POLICIES AND SUPPORT

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WELLBEING	port	I am satisfied with the policies/practices in place to help me manage my health and wellbeing	69	23	8 69%	+6 👁	+5 🔂	+1	+6 👁
THE WELLBEING	and support	My agency does a good job of communicating what it can offer me in terms of health and wellbeing	70	22	8 70%	+11 🔂	+8 🗘	+4	+7 😡
SCORE PROVIDES A MEASURE OF THE PRACTICAL AND CULTURAL	policies a	My agency does a good job of promoting health and wellbeing	64	27	⁹ 64%	+8 🗘	+1	-2	+3
ELEMENTS THAT ALLOW FOR A SUSTAINABLE AND	Wellbeing p	I think my agency cares about my health and wellbeing	73	17	9 73%	+8 🗘	+12 🔂	+5 🔂	+8 🗘
HEALTHY WORKING ENVIRONMENT.	We	I believe my immediate supervisor cares about my health and wellbeing	87		87%	+8 🗘	+2	-1	+1

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WELLBEING

	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
How often do you find your work stressful?						
Always		6%	0	+1	+2	+1
Often		28%	0	+2	+5 🔂	+2
Sometimes		52 %	-1	+3	+2	+5 🔂
Rarely		13 %	+1	-5 🕑	-8 😍	-7 😍
Never		1%	+1	-1	-1	-1
To what extent is your work emotionally demanding?						
To a very large extent		8%	-4	0	+2	+1
To a large extent		27 %	-5 🕑	+6 🐼	+9 🛇	+8 🗘
Somewhat		44 %	+4	+6 🐼	+6 🐼	+5 🖸
To a small extent		15%	0	-8 😍	-11 🕑	-10 🔮
To a very small extent		6%	+50	-3	-6 🔮	-4

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WELLBEING

	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
feel burned out by my work						
Strongly agree		5%	-4	-4	-3	-5 🕑
Agree		23%	-2	-1	+2	0
Neither agree nor disagree		38%	+2	+7 🐼	+9 🔂	+90
Disagree		29%	+3	0	-4	-1
Strongly disagree		5%	+1	-2	-4	-3
n general, would you say that your health is:						
Excellent		7%	0	-3	-5 🕑	-4
Very good		34%	+4	0	-2	-1
Good		43%	0	+50	+6 🖸	+50
Fair		12%	-2	-3	-1	-2
Poor		5%	-3	+1	+1	+1

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PERFORMANCE

	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
In the last month, please rate your workgroup's overall performance						
Excellent		16 %	+90	-11 🕑	-14 🕑	-11 🕑
Very good		53%	-6 \mathbf	-1	-1	0
Average		23%	-2	+8 🗘	+10 🖸	+70
Below average		7%	+2	+5 🗘	+5 🖸	+5 🖸
Well below average		0%	-4	-1	-1	-1
In the last month, please rate your agency's success in meeting its goals and objectives	I					
Excellent		9%	+70	-7 🕑	-9 🕑	-5 🕑
Very good		51 %	+6 🐼	-2	-4	+2
Average		33%	-1	+8 🗘	+11 🖸	+5 🖸
Below average		5%	-4	+1	+1	0
Well below average		3%	-8 🕑	+1	+1	-1

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PERFORMANCE

	RESPONSE SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
My workgroup has the appropriate skills, capabilities and knowledge to perform well	86 8	86%	+70	+8 🔂	+5 🖸	+6 🗘
My workgroup has the tools and resources we need to perform well	54 17 29	54%	0	-5 🕑	-5 🔮	+3
The people in my workgroup use time and resources efficiently	69 <mark>24</mark>	69%	-6	-7 \mathbf	-10 🔮	-7 🔮
My workgroup can readily adapt to new priorities and tasks	83 8 9	83%	+3	0	-2	+1
The people in my workgroup cooperate to get the job done	89 8	89%	-1	+1	-2	0

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RETENTION

0	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
	Which of the following statements best reflects your current thoughts about working in your current position?					
EMPLOYEES WHO	I want to leave my position as soon as possible	3 %	-7 🔮	-6 😍	-5 🕑	-6 🛛
INDICATED THAT THEY WANTED TO LEAVE THEIR CURRENT	I want to leave my position within the next 12 months	20%	+3	-4	-3	-2
POSITION AS SOON AS POSSIBLE OR WITHIN THE NEXT 12 MONTHS	I want to stay working in my position for the next one to two years	33%	-3	-5 😍	-8 😍	-6 🔮
WERE ASKED WHAT THEIR PLANS WERE.	I want to stay working in my position for at least the next three years	44 %	+8	+16 🔂	+16 🕥	+14 🖸
	What best describes your plans involved with leaving your current position?					
	I am planning to retire	10%	+6 🔂	+5 🖸	+6 🔂	+6 🔂
	I am pursuing another position within my agency	20%	+7 🖸	-21 🕑	-6 \mathbf	+2
	I am pursuing a position in another agency	15%	-7 🔮	-12 🕑	-20 🔮	-30
	I am pursuing work outside the APS	45 %	-7 🔮	+34 🖸	+28 🗘	+29 🔂
	It is the end of my non-ongoing, casual or contracted employment	0%	0	-3	-5 😍	-5 🔮
	Other	10%	+1	-3	-3	-3

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0	R	ESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
	What is the primary reason behind your desire to leave yo responses):	our current position? (5 highest					
EMPLOYEES WERE	l can receive a higher salary elsewhere		31%	-	-	-	-
ALSO ASKED FOR THE PRIMARY REASON BEHIND THEIR DESIRE	I don't think my work performance is fairly assessed in comparison to others		13%	-	-	-	-
TO LEAVE AND COULD SELECT ONE RESPONSE FROM A	I wish to pursue a promotion opportunity		13%	-	-	-	-
LIST OF ITEMS.	There are a lack of future career opportunities in my agency		13%	-	-	-	-
ONLY THE FIVE REASONS FOR LEAVING WITH THE HIGHEST PROPORTION OF RESPONSES ARE PRESENTED HERE. THESE MAY VARY BETWEEN AGENCIES, WORK UNITS AND WITH RESULTS FOR THE APS OVERALL.	I want to try a different type of work or I'm seeking a career change		6%	-	-	-	-
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UNACCEPTABLE BEHAVIOUR

0	DISCRIMINATION	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
	During the last 12 months and in the course of your er discrimination on the basis of your background or a p						
EMPLOYEES WHO HAD	Yes		9%	+2	-1	+1	-1
PERCEIVED DISCRIMINATION IN THE LAST 12 MONTHS	No		91%	-2	+1	-1	+1
IN THE COURSE OF THEIR EMPLOYMENT WERE ASKED WHAT THE BASIS WAS FOR	Did this discrimination occur in your current agency?						
THE DISCRIMINATION. EMPLOYEES COULD SELECT ONE OR MORE	Yes	The data for this question has been hic	dden for anony	mity reasons.			
RESPONSES FROM A LIST OF ITEMS.	No	The data for this question has been hic	dden for anony	mity reasons.			
ONLY THE THREE TYPES OF DISCRIMINATION WITH THE HIGHEST PROPORTION OF RESPONSES ARE PRESENTED HERE. THESE MAY VARY BETWEEN AGENCIES, WORK UNITS AND WITH RESULTS FOR THE APS OVERALL.							
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UNACCEPTABLE BEHAVIOUR

0	HARASSMENT AND BULLYING	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
	During the last 12 months, have you been subjected to ha workplace?	arassment or bullying in your current					
EMPLOYEES WHO PERCEIVED HARASSMENT OR BULLYING IN THE LAST	Yes		12 %	-3	+1	+3	0
	No		84 %	+2	-1	-3	+1
12 MONTHS WERE ASKED WHAT TYPE OF HARASSMENT OR	Not sure		5 %	+1	-1	0	-1
BULLYING THEY EXPERIENCED. EMPLOYEES COULD	Types of harassment or bullying experienced (3 highest r	responses):					
SELECT ONE OR MORE RESPONSES FROM A LIST OF ITEMS. ONLY THE THREE	Verbal abuse (e.g. offensive language, derogatory remarks, shouting or screaming)		50 %	-	-	-	-
	Inappropriate and unfair application of work policies or rules (e.g. performance management, access to leave, access to learning and development)		50 %	-	-	-	-
OPTIONS WITH THE HIGHEST PROPORTION OF RESPONSES ARE	Interference with work tasks (e.g. withholding needed information, undermining or sabotage)		30%	-	-	-	-
PRESENTED HERE. THESE MAY VARY BETWEEN AGENCIES, WORK UNITS AND WITH RESULTS FOR THE APS OVERALL.	Did you report the harassment or bullying?						
	I reported the behaviour in accordance with my agency's policies and procedures		10%	-57 🕑	-25 🕑	-22 🔮	-25 🔮
	It was reported by someone else		10%	+10 🖸	+2	+2	+5 🔂
	I did not report the behaviour		80%	+47 🔂	+23 🖸	+20 🖸	+20 🖸
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UNACCEPTABLE BEHAVIOUR

0	CORRUPTION	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMALL SIZED AGENCIES	
	Excluding behaviour reported to you as part of your of witnessed another APS employee in your agency eng may be serious enough to be viewed as corruption?							
EMPLOYEES WHO	Yes		2%	-3	-1	-1	-3	
INDICATED THAT THEY HAD WITNESSED POTENTIAL CORRUPT	No		85%	0	-6 🕑	-6 🕑	-2	
BEHAVIOUR WERE ASKED TO DESCRIBE THE BEHAVIOUR.	Not sure		9%	+4	+5 🖸	+6 🔂	+4	
EMPLOYEES COULD SELECT ONE OR MORE RESPONSES FROM A	Would prefer not to answer		3%	-1	+1	+1	0	
LIST OF ITEMS.	Did you report the potentially corrupt behaviour?							
ONLY THE THREE TYPES OF CORRUPT BEHAVIOURS WITH	I reported the behaviour in accordance with my agency's policies and procedures The data for this question has been hidden for anonymity reasons.							
THE HIGHEST PROPORTION OF RESPONSES ARE	It was reported by someone else The data for this question has been hidden for anonymity reasons.							
PRESENTED HERE. THESE MAY VARY BETWEEN AGENCIES	I did not report the behaviour	report the behaviour The data for this question has been hidden for anonymity reasons.						
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DEMOGRAPHICS

How do you describe your gender?	Responses
Man or male	59%
Woman or female	36%
Non-binary	1%
l use a different term	0%
Prefer not to say	5%

Do you identify as an Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander person?	Responses	
Yes	4%	
No	96%	

Do you have an ongoing disability?	Responses
Yes	10%
No	90%

Do you have carer responsibilities?	Responses
Yes	41%
No	59%

Do you identify as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and/or gender diverse, Intersex, Queer, Questioning and/or Asexual (LGBTIQA+)?	Responses
Yes	3%
No	97%

How would you describe your cultural background? [Multiple Response]	Responses
Australian (excluding Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander)	79%
Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander	2%
New Zealander (excluding Maori)	1%
Maori, Melanesian, Papuan, Micronesian, and Polynesian	1%
Anglo-European	16%
North-West European (excluding Anglo-European)	2%
Southern and Eastern European	3%
South-East Asian	10%
North-East Asian	0%
Southern and Central Asian	0%
North American	1%
South and Central American and Caribbean Islander	0%
North African and Middle Eastern	0%
Sub-Saharan African	0%

Do you consider yourself to be neurodivergent?	Responses
Yes	6%
No	82%
Not sure	13%



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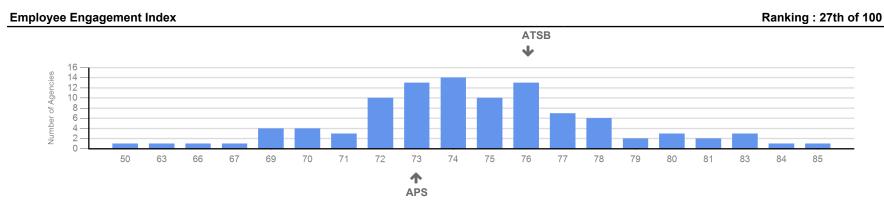




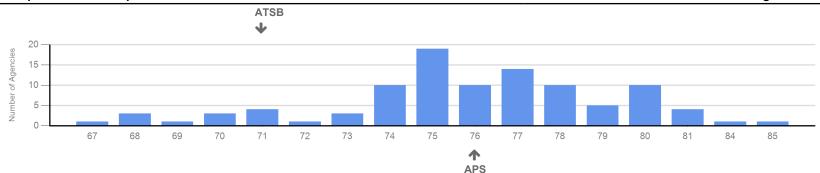
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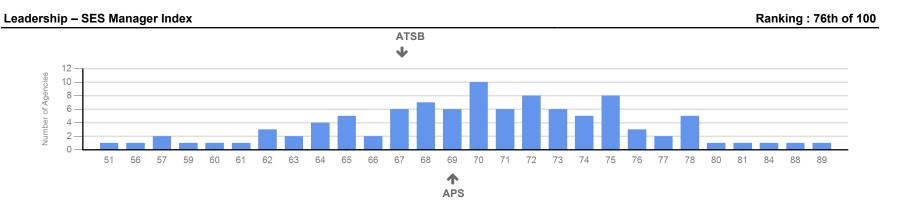
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Ranking: 89th of 100

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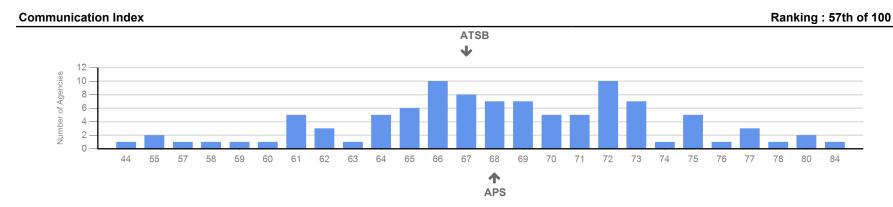
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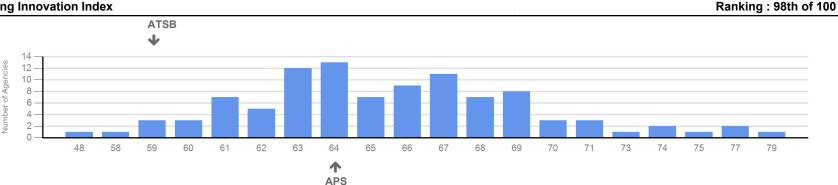
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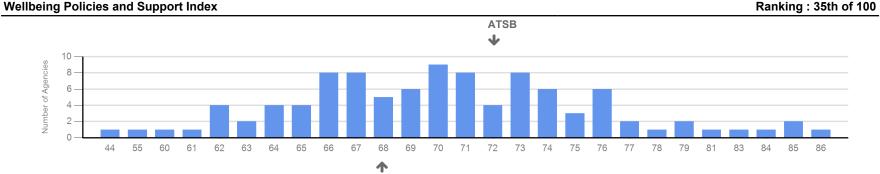
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SUGGESTED QUESTIONS TO FOCUS ON

Australian Government

Australian Public Service Commission

0	GREATE	ST 5 PERCENTAGE POINTS ER THAN COMPARATOR ON AT LEAST 5 PERCENTAGE POINTS LESS THAN COMPARATOR	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2022	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
WHAT TO FOCUS ON?	.1	I am confident that if I requested a flexible wor arrangement, my request would be given reasonable consideration	91 %	+6 0	+120	+60	+100
THROUGH DRIVER ANALYSIS, THESE KEY QUESTIONS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED AS BEING IMPORTANT TO EMPLOYEES IN YOUR AGENCY AND ASSOCIATED WITH EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT.	.2	I believe my immediate supervisor cares about my health and wellbeing	87 %	+80	+2	-1	+1
THEY ARE NOT NECESSARILY THE QUESTIONS WITH THE LOWEST SCORES.	.3	I feel I have the same opportunities as anyone else of my ability or experience	71 %	+4	+6 0	+4	+70
SOME WILL BE AREAS TO IMPROVE UPON AND SOME	.4	My immediate supervisor encourages me	70 %	+7 0	-6 0	-7 0	-4
WILL BE AREAS TO MAINTAIN. DEVELOP ACTIONS AND ACTIVITIES TO IMPROVE UPON THESE, WHERE POSSIBLE, TO DRIVE HIGHER LEVELS OF PERFORMANCE.	.5	I think my agency cares about my health and wellbeing	73 %	+8 0	+120	+5 0	+80
	.6	My immediate supervisor encourages me to come up with new or better ways of doing things	64 %	+9 0	-8 0	-11 0	-80

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ATSB SPECIFIC QUESTIONS

	RESPONSE SCALE	% VARIANCE POSITIVE FROM 2022
I know how to identify and access the training I need for my development	73 19 8	73 % -
My training needs are discussed, supported and encouraged by my manager	71 21 8	71 % -
I feel I am encouraged to talk to my manager about performance expectations and workload	78 15	78 % 0
My manager coaches me as part of my development	63 21 16	63% -
The ATSB actively encourages ethical behaviour by all of its employees	87	87 % +7 ⊙
The ATSB is committed to creating a diverse workforce (e.g. gender, age, cultural and linguistic background, disability, indigenous, LGBTI+)	70 26	70 % +7 0
I believe my manager behaves in a way that promotes positive workplace culture	88 8	88% -
I feel my manager empowers me to get my job done	80 13 7	80% -
I feel my views and suggestions to improve the work of the ATSB are heard and listened to	59 28 13	59% -
When things go wrong my agency uses this as an opportunity to learn, e.g. lessons learnt	51 27 22	51% -





ATSB SPECIFIC QUESTIONS



KEY

AT LEAST 5 PERCENTAGE POINTS GREATER THAN COMPARATOR



AT LEAST 5 PERCENTAGE POINTS LESS THAN COMPARATOR

Positive Neutral Negative





TIME TO TAKE ACTION

CELEBRATE	Q INVESTIGATE FURTHER WITH OUR TEAMS	OPPORTUNITIES
What things do we do well?	Are there any other opportunities coming out of the results that we want to explore further?	Areas we need to focus on and turn into action plans:
THINK ABOUT HOW WE CAN BUILD ON OUR STRENGTHS AND LEARN FROM WHAT WE ARE GOOD AT.	HOW COULD WE INVESTIGATE? THROUGH LOOKING AT THE DATA IN MORE DETAIL OR THROUGH DISCUSSIONS WITH STAFF?	WHAT ARE THE KEY THINGS WE NEED TO IMPROVE TO MAKE WORKING HERE BETTER?

0	PRIORITISE 3 AREAS FOR ACTION	TIMESCALES	OWNER	RESOURCES REQUIRED	TARGET/SUCCESS
USE THIS	FOR ACTION	TIMESCALES	OWNER	REGUIRED	MEASURE
PAGE TO	1				
START YOUR					
LOCAL					
ACTION					
PLANS	2				
IDENTIFY AREAS TO CELEBRATE, OPPORTUNITIES FOR IMPROVEMENT AND					
AREAS WHICH YOU NEED TO INVESTIGATE FURTHER.	3				
PRIORITISE 3 AREAS TO TAKE FORWARD					



GUIDE TO THIS REPORT

% POSITIVE

WHERE RESULTS ARE SHOWN AS POSITIVE PERCENTAGES (% POSITIVE), THESE ARE CALCULATED BY ADDING TOGETHER POSITIVE RESPONSES ("STRONGLY AGREE" + "AGREE" OR "ALWAYS" + "OFTEN") AND DIVIDING BY THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS WHO ANSWERED THE QUESTION.



RESULTS ARE PRESENTED AS WHOLE NUMBERS FOR EASE OF READING, WITH ROUNDING PERFORMED AT THE LAST STAGE OF CALCULATION FOR MAXIMUM ACCURACY. VALUES FROM X.00 TO X.49 ARE ROUNDED DOWN AND VALUES FROM X.50 TO X.99 ARE ROUNDED UP. THEREFORE IN SOME INSTANCES, RESULTS MAY NOT TOTAL 100%.

		STRONGLY AGREE	AGREE	NEITHER	DISAGREE	STRONGLY DISAGREE	TOTAL
	NUMBER OF RESPONSES	151	166	176	96	24	613
	PERCENTAGE	24.63%	27.08%	28.71%	15.66%	3.92%	100%
	ROUNDED PERCENTAGE	25%	27%	29%	16%	4%	101%
	NUMBER OF POSITIVE	151 + 166 = 317					
	% POSITIVE	317 ÷ 613	5 = 52%				

ANONYMITY

IT IS BEST PRACTICE NOT TO DISPLAY THE RESULTS OF GROUPS OF RESPONDENTS TO THE EXTENT WHERE THE ANONYMITY OF INDIVIDUALS MAY BE COMPROMISED. RESULTS WILL NOT BE SHOWN WHERE THERE ARE LESS THAN 10 RESPONDENTS IN A GROUP.

COMPARISONS WITH RESULTS FROM PREVIOUS YEARS

THE METHOD OF ANALYSING AND REPORTING SPECIFIC RESULTS MAY BE PERIODICALLY REVIEWED AND REVISED. SUCH IMPROVEMENTS ARE APPLIED TO CURRENT DATA AND THAT OF PREVIOUS YEARS. FOR THIS REASON THE CURRENT REPORT IS ALWAYS THE MOST ACCURATE DATA SOURCE FOR APS EMPLOYEE CENSUS RESULTS, INCLUDING COMPARISONS WITH TIME SERIES DATA.



Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree					
	POSITIVE RESPONSE	Neutral response	Negative response						
	÷								
number of respondents who answered the question									
=									
	% POSITIVE								

FOR 5 POINT SCALE QUESTIONS NOT ASKED ON THE *AGREE TO DISAGREE* SCALE THE SAME RULES APPLY, THE GREEN PERCENT REPRESENTS A **POSITIVE RESPONSE** (UNLESS THE QUESTION IS NEGATIVELY WORDED).

